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Our Case No. 10519-9

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In re Application of:

March et al.

Serial No.: 09/748,589

Filed: December 22, 2000

For: Memory Devices and
Methods for Use Therewith

Examiner: G. Portka

Group Art Unit: 2187

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please enter the following remarks in response to the Office Action mailed September 5, 2002.

REMARKS

I. Introduction

In the Office Action mailed September 5, 2002, each of the independent claims (Claims 114, 117, and 120) were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable in view of the